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Chicago, Dec. 22.—An airplane today was ordered out to help in the hunt for Charles Gilbert, air mail flyer, lost since last night while on his way from Chicago to Omaha, Neb. The search is around Kaneville, Ill., 60 miles west of here, over which Gilbert's plane was seen at eight o'clock by another air mail flyer.

Local postal officials believe Gilbert was forced down by engine trouble and fear he may be suffering from injuries in some snow covered field.

Gilbert left here at 7:15 o'clock and five minutes before R. L. Wagner, another pilot, took off.

LIFELESS BODY IS FOUND IN CORNFIELD

Kaneville, Ill., Dec. 22.—Grim death took up the pursuit of Charles Gilbert, air mail flyer, as he left Chicago last night and whirled through falling snow with thousands of letters of Christmas cheer for the west.

A mile and a half from here death won the race and Gilbert crashed into a corn field, where his lifeless body was picked up today after an all-night search. Gilbert's crushed form was several hundred yards from his demolished plane.

Indications are that Gilbert leaped from the machine at a short distance from the ground. Engine trouble caused the crash, it is believed.

Gilbert, a former army aviator and only in the air mail service several months, left Chicago at 7:10 p. m. last night for Omaha. A few moments later R. L. Wagner, another pilot, started with his batch of mail for the west.

Both machines were driving through a light snow storm and in the teeth of a polar wind with the temperature far below zero.

As Wagner passed over Kaneville he glanced down and saw the twinkling light of Gilbert's machine. Wagner thought that Gilbert had tried to get down to a lower altitude and whirled on his way to Iowa City.

Unknown to Wagner he was witnessing the latest tragedy of the air mail service.

Flying officials reconstructed the tragedy as follows:

Engine trouble developed shortly before Wagner sighted Gilbert's plane. Gilbert decided to land in the emergency flying station at McGirr, Ill., a few miles from Kaneville and pointed his nose on an easy incline toward the ground.

Gilbert apparently miscalculated the distance to the ground, probably deceived by the covering of snow. Too late he realized his danger, and indications are that he leaped free from the machine in the hope of landing on a cushioning snow pile.

Gilbert did not have an opportunity to release his parachute as he made the jump and crashed to the ground. Death was instant, it is believed. The airplane, freed from control, smashed to the ground and then careened along for several hundred yards before coming to a stop.

When Gilbert failed to pass over air mail lookout stations, Chicago headquarters was telephoned.

A searching party was organized and went on through the night. With lanterns and automobile lights winking across the countryside the hunt went on all night. The airplane joined the search when light dawned.

Late in the morning the demolished plane was sighted and Gilbert's body found later.

FIRST FATALITY OF TRANSCONTINENTAL MAIL

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POISON LIQUOR BRINGS DEATHS TO 35 IN GOTHAM

(By United Press)
New York, Dec. 22.—Two additional deaths from poison liquor over the weekend brought the month's toll to 35.

From midnight Saturday to midnight Sunday 211 persons were admitted to Bellevue hospital suffering from alcoholic poisoning.

U. S. Prepares Welcome For Jap Midshipmen

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—Secretary of the Navy Wilbur has ordered battleships West Virginia, Maryland and Colorado, under the command of Vice Admiral Henry A. Wiley, to be in San Francisco Jan. 6 to welcome three Japanese cruisers carrying more than 300 Japanese midshipmen which will arrive there on that date.

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St. Paul, Dec. 22.—Under the shadow of St. Paul's skyscrapers a tragedy of frontier days claimed the life of a squatter on Pig's Eye Island in the Mississippi Sunday.

John McCoy, 38, died of a wound from an old blunderbus pistol of civil war days. He was shot as Edward Burkett, 44, protected McCoy's wife and children from a drunken rage.

Both were squatters on the island—a place so isolated by the river from the railroad district that even wild game abounds there. There had long been bad blood between the two.

Even today the hip pistol is there on Pig's Eye Island. McCoy arrived at his shack drunk, his wife said. She seized her two children and ran to Burkett's shack, the nearest place of refuge. McCoy followed.

Entering Burkett's house, McCoy threatened him with the revolver. Burkett ordered McCoy to put down his weapon and when McCoy suddenly refused Burkett fired his old civil war army revolver. The bullet tore a great hole in McCoy's side.

Burkett loaded the wounded man on a sled and pulled him across the Mississippi ice to the nearest telephone. He called a police ambulance, then left McCoy lying there and returned to his cabin. Police found the wounded man and took him to a hospital.

Detectives Walsh and Grace were assigned to the capture of Burkett. They donned ice skates and pulled a sled across the river to the island. After two hours' search they found Burkett's secluded shack. Burkett gave himself up. He was handcuffed and bound on the sled and the detectives pulled him back to the mainland.

McCoy will be buried Wednesday.

Of Charles Gilbert was the first fatality since the night transcontinental air mail service was established, Carl E. Egg, general superintendent of the service, said here today.

Gilbert entered the air mail service August 16 last. He originally came from Plainview, Kans., Egg said. Before entering the service he was an army aviator stationed at Ft. Riley. Gilbert's wife lives at Iowa City, Iowa.

Gilbert, an expert pilot, had made but a few trips since entering the service, Egg said. He said a complete investigation of the cause of the accident will be made.

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Chippewa Falls, Wis., Dec. 22.—Harold E. Stafford, district attorney, may find it necessary to present the facts concerning the Soo Line wreck here Saturday to the grand jury, he intimated to the United Press. Stafford conducted an independent probe into the catastrophe in which eight lost their lives and seven were injured.

So far Stafford is unwilling to make any statement concerning the import of his findings.

He agreed with Soo Line officials that a defective switch caused the dimer and chair car of eastbound train No. 2 to leave the rails, breaking loose from the train and plunging into the Chippewa River from a high trestle. A minute inspection of the switch apparatus and installation will be made.

The switch, according to Stafford, was placed there just two days before the wreck. The wheels of the train battered the switch knife, throwing the last truck of the coach off on a side track and causing the wreck.

Whether the switch did not close properly, the trucks of the train causing the tie bolt to break, or whether the bolt was weakened by strain or snapped because of the intense cold of the last few days has not been determined. The tie bolt was broken, however, and Stafford indicated it might have been the result of improper installation.

The bodies of the eight dead are being shipped away today for funerals. Relatives and friends claimed them as soon as identification was established.

Of the seven injured, two are still in serious condition. They are Harry Jones of Sioux City, whose wife was almost instantly killed, and Mrs. Paul Blixt, Minneapolis.

Harry Larson, Chippewa county coroner, prepared a coroner's jury investigation of the wreck today. Witnesses are being called for a formal hearing.

Railroad officials worked all day Sunday supervising the removal of the car from the river.

The car fell 60 feet and was almost completely submerged in the water fringed with ice. Two huge wrecking cranes raised the car.

The broken switch was replaced and normal traffic on the line resumed.

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Chicago, Dec. 22.—An airplane today was ordered out to help in the hunt for Charles Gilbert, air mail flyer, lost since last night while on his way from Chicago to Omaha, Neb. The search is around Kansasville, Ill., 60 miles west of here, over which Gilbert's plane was seen at eight o'clock by another air mail flyer.

Local postal officials believe Gilbert was forced down by engine trouble and fear he may be suffering from injuries in some snow covered field.

Gilbert left here at 7:15 o'clock and five minutes before R. L. Wagner, another pilot, took off.

LIFELESS BODY IS FOUND IN CORNFIELD

Kaneville, Ill., Dec. 22.—Grim death took up the pursuit of Charles Gilbert, air mail flyer, as he left Chicago last night and whirled through falling snow with thousands of letters of Christmas cheer for the west.

A mile and a half from here death won the race and Gilbert crashed into a corn field, where his lifeless body was picked up today after an all-night search. Gilbert's crushed form was several hundred yards from his demolished plane.

Indications are that Gilbert leaped from the machine at a short distance from the ground. Engine trouble caused the crash, it is believed.

Gilbert, a former army aviator and only in the air mail service several months, left Chicago at 7:10 p. m. last night for Omaha. A few moments later R. L. Wagner, another pilot, started with his batch of mail for the west.

Both machines were driving through a light snow storm and in the teeth of a polar wind with the temperature far below zero.

As Wagner passed over Kaneville he glanced down and saw the twinkling light of Gilbert's machine. Wagner thought that Gilbert had tried to get down to a lower altitude and whirled on his way to Iowa City.

Unknown to Wagner he was witnessing the latest tragedy of the air mail service.

Flying officials reconstructed the tragedy as follows:

Engine trouble developed shortly before Wagner sighted Gilbert's plane. Gilbert decided to land in the emergency flying station at McGirr, Ill., a few miles from Kaneville and pointed his nose on an easy incline toward the ground.

Gilbert apparently miscalculated the distance to the ground, probably deceived by the covering of snow. Too late he realized his danger, and indications are that he leaped free from the machine in the hope of landing on a cushioning snow pile.

Gilbert did not have an opportunity to release his parachute as he made the jump and crashed to the ground. Death was instant, it is believed. The airplane, freed from control, smashed to the ground and then careened along for several hundred yards before coming to a stop.

When Gilbert failed to pass over air mail lookout stations, Chicago headquarters was telephoned.

A searching party was organized and went on through the night. With lanterns and automobile lights winking across the countryside the hunt went on all night. The airplane joined the search when light dawned. Late in the morning the demolished plane was sighted and Gilbert's body found later.

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From midnight Saturday to midnight Sunday 211 persons were admitted to Bellevue hospital suffering from alcoholic poisoning.

U. S. Prepares Welcome For Jap Midshipmen

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—Secretary of the Navy Wilbur has ordered battleships West Virginia, Maryland and Colorado, under the command of Vice Admiral Henry A. Wiley, to be in San Francisco Jan. 6 to welcome three Japanese cruisers carrying more than 300 Japanese midshipmen which will arrive there on that date.

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Both were squatters on the island—a place so isolated by the river from the railroad district that even wild game abounds there. There had long been bad blood between the two.

Even today the hip pistol is there on Pig's Eye Island. McCoy arrived at his shack drunk, his wife said. She seized her two children and ran to Burkett's shack, the nearest place of refuge. McCoy followed.

Entering Burkett's house, McCoy threatened him with the revolver. Burkett ordered McCoy to put down his weapon and when McCoy sullenly refused Burkett fired his old civil war army revolver. The bullet tore a great hole in McCoy's side.

Burkett loaded the wounded man on a sled and pulled him across the Mississippi ice to the nearest telephone. He called a police ambulance, then left McCoy lying there and returned to his cabin. Police found the wounded man and took him to a hospital.

Detectives Walsh and Grace were assigned to the capture of Burkett. They donned ice skates and pulled a sled across the river to the island. After two hours' search they found Burkett's secluded shack. Burkett gave himself up. He was handcuffed and bound on the sled and the detectives pulled him back to the mainland.

McCoy will be buried Wednesday.

of Charles Gilbert was the first fatality since the night transcontinental air mail service was established, Carl E. Egg, general superintendent of the service, said here today.

Gilbert entered the air mail service August 16 last. He originally came from Plainview, Kans., Egg said. Before entering the service he was an army aviator stationed at Ft. Riley. Gilbert's wife lives at Iowa City, Iowa.

Gilbert, an expert pilot, had made but a few trips since entering the service, Egg said. He said a complete investigation of the cause of the accident will be made.

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So far Stafford is unwilling to make any statement concerning the import of his findings.

He agreed with Soo Line officials that a defective switch caused the dimer and chair car of eastbound train No. 2 to leave the rails, breaking loose from the train and plunging into the Chippewa River from a high trestle. A minute inspection of the switch apparatus and installation will be made.

The switch, according to Stafford, was placed there just two days before the wreck. The wheels of the train battered the switch knife, throwing the last truck of the coach off on a side track and causing the wreck.

Whether the switch did not close properly, the trucks of the train causing the tie bolt to break, or whether the bolt was weakened by strain or snapped because of the intense cold of the last few days has not been determined. The tie bolt was broken, however, and Stafford indicated it might have been the result of improper installation.

The bodies of the eight dead are being shipped away today for funerals. Relatives and friends claimed them as soon as identification was established.

Of the seven injured, two are still in serious condition. They are Harry Jones of Sioux City, whose wife was almost instantly killed, and Mrs. Paul Blixt, Minneapolis.

Harry Larson, Chippewa county coroner, prepared a coroner's jury investigation of the wreck today. Witnesses are being called for a formal hearing.

Railroad officials worked all day Sunday supervising the removal of the car from the river.

The car fell 60 feet and was almost completely submerged in the water fringed with ice. Two huge wrecking cranes raised the car.

The broken switch was replaced and normal traffic on the line resumed.

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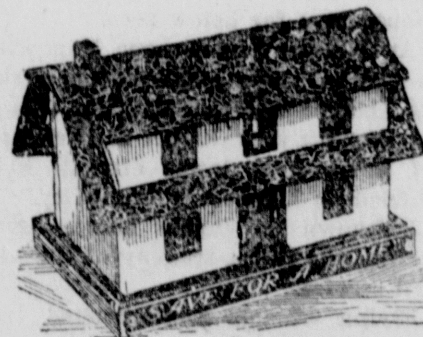
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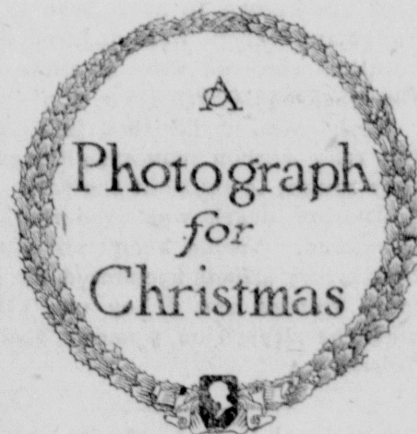
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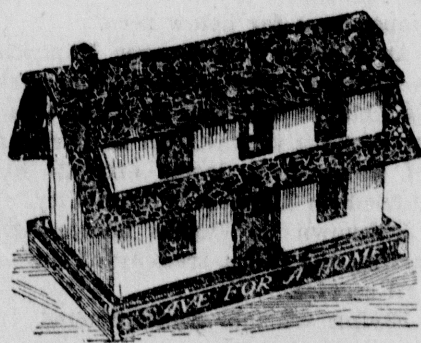
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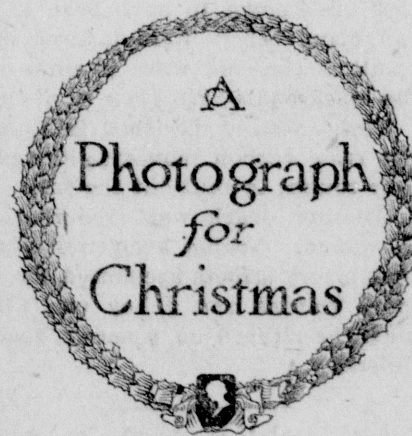
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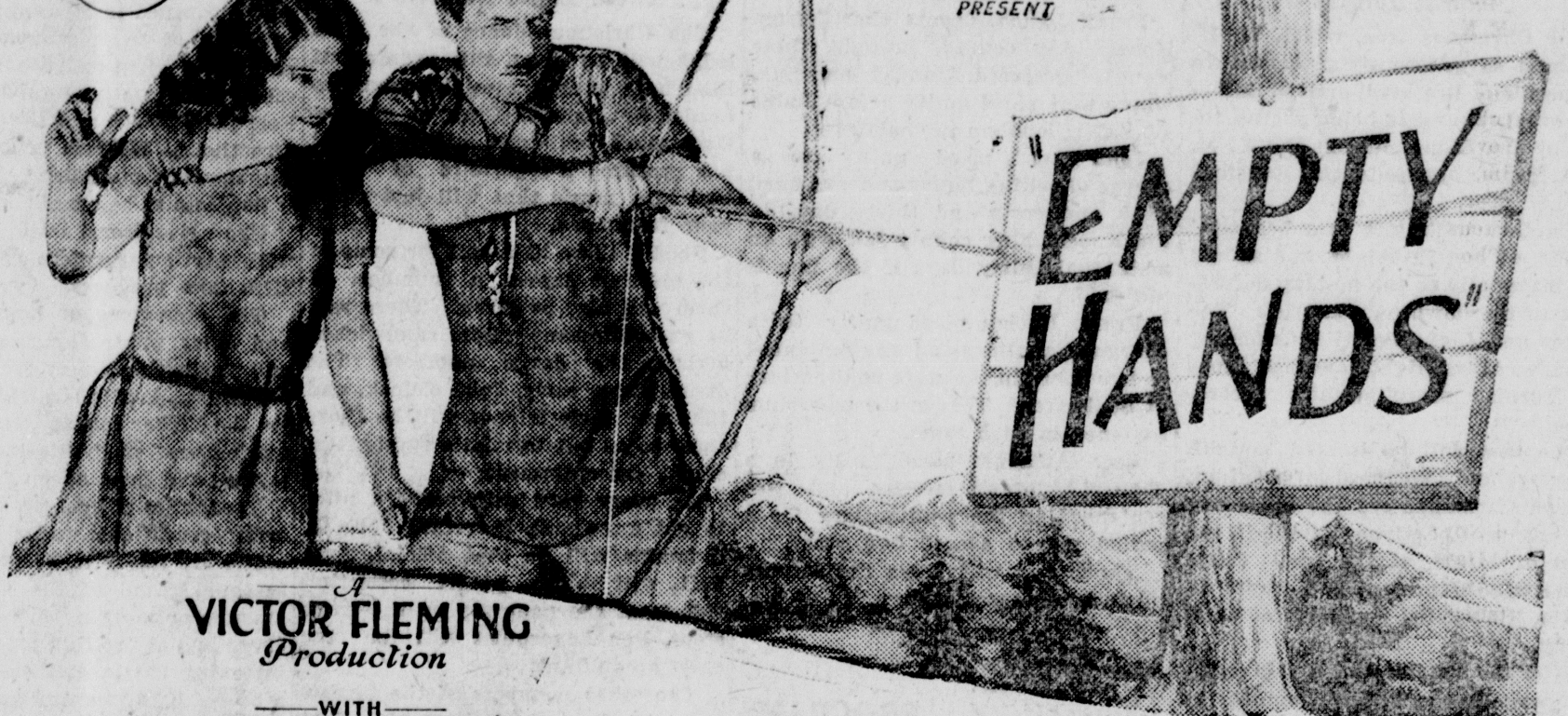
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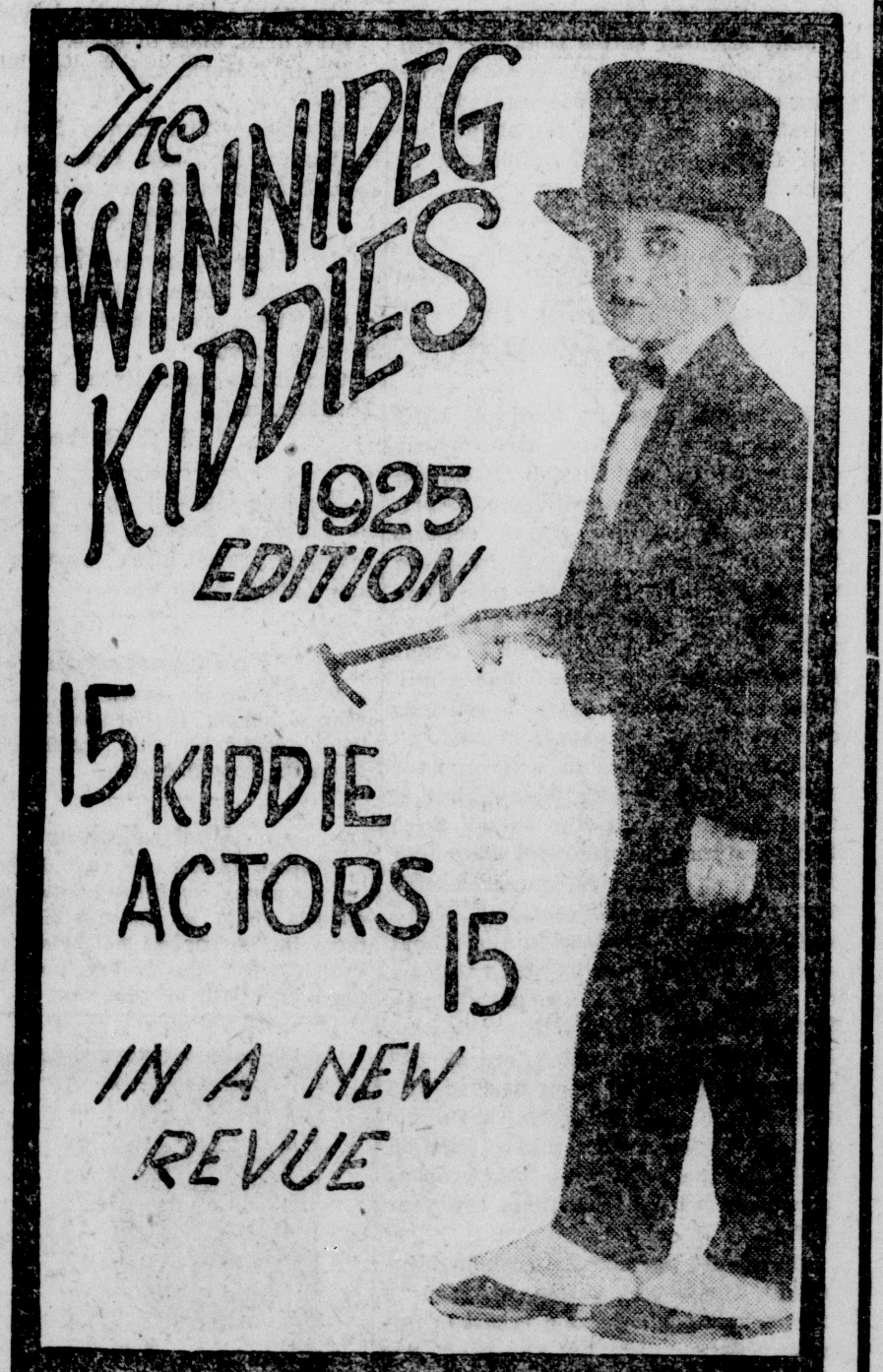
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Bran, 100 lbs. \$1.75
Shorts, 100 lbs. \$1.75
Ground feed, 80 lbs. \$1.90
Shelled corn, 80 lbs. \$2.10
Cracked corn, 80 lbs. \$2.10
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CALVES—Receipts, 800. Market: Generally steady. Bulk of sales, \$4 to \$7.50.

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Minneapolis Cash Grain

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St. Paul Hay Market

TIMOTHY—No. 1, \$17; No. 2, \$16; No. 3, \$12.
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MARKET REPORT

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Bran, 100 lbs.	\$1.75
Shorts, 100 lbs.	\$1.75
Ground feed, 80 lbs.	\$1.90
Shelled corn, 80 lbs.	\$2.10
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Oats, 80 lbs.	\$1.50
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Creamery butter	44c
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CALVES—Receipts, 800. Market: Generally steady. Bulk of sales, \$4 to \$7.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 26,000. Market: Around 10c higher, quality considered. Top price, \$9.35 early.

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SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500. Market: Lams 25c to 50c higher; sheep steady. Bulk prices follow: Fat lambs, \$15.50 to \$16; fat ewes, \$6 to \$7.25.

Minneapolis Cash Grain
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WHEAT—No. 1 Dark Northern, \$1.66½ to \$1.95½; to arrive, \$1.66½. No. 1 Northern, \$1.65½ to \$1.69½; to arrive, \$1.65½.

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FLAX SEED—Fancy, \$2.95½ to \$2.99½; to arrive, \$2.94½.

St. Paul Hay Market
TIMOTHY—No. 1, \$17; No. 2, \$16; No. 3, \$12.

ALFALFA—No. 1, \$24; No. 2, \$16; Standard, \$20.

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Walter M. Murphy, Crow Wing county highway engineer, and Louis Knudsen, county surveyor, will have charge of the program on the opening day of the convention, and C. L. Motl, formerly of Brainerd, president of the federation, has promised that Crow Wing county's road program during the past two years, will be given its share of publicity. It is felt that the accomplishments in highway construction in this county are beyond those of the majority of the counties in the state and that what has been done here will be of interest to other counties.

Included in the Minnesota federation is the state surveyors and engineers association. Mr. Knudsen is chairman of the surveyors' section of this association, and Mr. Murphy heads the engineers' section. These two chairmen are arranging the program for the first day of the convention, and will see that Crow Wing county gets its rightful share of publicity on that day.

Members of the association are much interested in this county's road program. They have held their annual summer meetings at Brainerd two seasons in succession and at these meetings have made tours of inspection of local roads. The use of mail in roadwork in this county, and the overcoming of obstacles in construction that have been successfully met here, have been closely watched in other sections of the state.

Messrs. Murphy and Knudsen have already begun work on the program for the first day of the convention, and when it is completed, it will be published in the Dispatch.

HOW GREAT MEN MAKE LOVE AS REVEALED BY THEIR LOVE LETTERS

By JOSEPH KAYE

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JOHN FISKE AND ABBY BROOKES

THE American historian and philosopher, John Fiske, was a rather bashful lover and when he met the girl of his heart his first proceeding was to ask her permission to write to her. This being decided on we have the following letter addressed by Fiske to Miss Abby Brookes:

"Something almost compels me to write this, though I readily imagine how assuming I may appear in doing so. But I can sincerely say that were the state of things now to exist, of which we read in the fairy fable, and were some beneficent genii to ask me what boon of all I would have soonest granted me, I should at once answer this: that you might deign to bestow upon me the favor, for which I have just asked (permission to write). Should you think best to refuse this request, I beg you to think no more of it."

Miss Brookes consented, and later consented to a greater favor asked by John Fiske. They lived happily ever after, so happy that Fiske could send a letter like the one below, after eleven years of married life:

"Eleven years ago was the day I asked you to write to me up at Peter-sham. Oh, if only we were in Peter-sham now (dearest spot on earth), with our precious little flock! I am eaten up with homesickness and think if I can ever see New England again I shall be content never to travel at all. I crave every word from home as a drunkard craves his liquor and the kindest thing you can do for me will be to write a little almost every day, even if it is only half a page, so that only I may see an envelope directed by you, when I go for my mail."

Just as Well

You can't tell much about a display of authority. Many a man thinks he is doing a fine bit of rule driving when the mule is just hurrying home on his own account.—Stevens Stone Mill.

Disappointed

Jud Tunkins says it beats him to find out how much petroleum there is in the world with none of it represented in his bunches of oil stock.—Washington Star.



Scene from SINNERS IN SILK

"Sinners in Silk" Proves Best Picture About the Younger Set

"Sinners in Silk," Hobart Henley's first production for Metro-Goldwyn, opened for a two days' engagement at the Lyceum Theatre last night. This picture, the newest of the jazz series, is new in more ways than one. It offers a highly original idea in

that the central character, an elderly man is in none too good health, is brought once again to youthful strength and youthful emotions when he takes the Steinach rejuvenation treatment. With this as a premise, it was natural that Mr. Henley was able to develop a number of highly amusing and thrilling situations, which he did with the fullest degree.



Jack Holt and Norma Shearer in the Paramount Picture "Empty Hands" A Victor Fleming Production.

Screen Stars Play Adam and Eve on Screen

Jack Holt and Norma Shearer lived as the first man lived. In other words, they duplicated, with strict observance for modern conventions, life as it was lived before tools and weapons were invented for the new Victor Fleming Paramount production, "Empty Hands," from the Arthur Stringer novel by that name, which will be shown at the New Park Theatre tonight, Tuesday and Wednesday. It relates the struggle for exist-

tence of a man and a woman stranded in the wilderness with nothing but the clothes they stand in and a pocket knife.

Holt is the man and Norma Shearer the woman.

The company went on location in the Yosemite for filming of the scenes. To give atmosphere to the picture Holt re-enacted many of the hard lessons he actually learned in Alaska to show how a man, if he has the fighty spirit, can wrest from nature food and shelter, bare-handed.

A Show With Fifteen Kid Actors Coming to Brainerd

Manager Irwin of the New Park

Theatre is to be heartily congratulated on securing the Winnipeg Kiddies, a troupe of child actors, for an

engagement of two nights and two matinees, starting Saturday matinee, Dec. 27, for this theatre.

The Winnipeg Kiddies are on a Transcontinental tour of America and will be passing through Brainerd. Mr. Irwin, on hearing this, wasted no time in getting in touch with the management of the show, and prevailed upon them to break their jump, and give the Kiddies a much-needed rest, by stopping over in Brainerd and giving their performance here on Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 27th and 28th.

The Kiddies are accompanied on this tour by a trained nurse, a guardian and a school teacher. They are at all times under the strictest discipline and act as perfect little ladies and gentlemen.

Avoid Airing Troubles

This I always religiously observed, as a rule, never to chide before company nor to prattle abroad of miscarriages at home. What passes between two people is much easier made up than when once it has taken air.—Erasmus.

Not Always on Left Side

The heart is not situated entirely on the left side of the body as is believed by most people. It is in reality found to be on the right side in a great number of people, irrespective of sex.

SAGE TEA KEEPS YOUR HAIR DARK

When Mixed With Sulphur it Brings Back its Beautiful Lustre at Once

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks streaked, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundred-fold.

Don't stay gray Look young! Either prepare the recipe at home or get from any drug store a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which is merely the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully, besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

"Get Your Goat"

The origin of this phrase, which means to annoy, irritate or make angry, is not known for certain. Modern lexicographers believe "goat" in this expression is a contraction of "goatee," the chin tuft or pointed beard. If this is correct, "to get one's goat" literally would mean to pull one's beard, which is considered the most humiliating kind of insult.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Ancient Roman Temple

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Silly Superstition

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Don't choose a Do-Dad for Dad!

Father may have a mustache—but he doesn't need a mustache cup.

He may smoke—but not the kind of cigars the girls would select for him.

Dad is a year older this Christmas—he has put in another 365 days of looking out for the family and now here is a special opportunity for the family to look out for Dad.

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BRAINERD TO BE HONORED

Walter M. Murphy and Louis Knudsen
Program Planners Highway Engineers, Surveyors

MEET MILL CITY JAN. 22-23-24
President C. L. Motl Promises Publicity for County's Road Program

Brainerd is to be signally recognized at the annual three-day meeting of the State Federation of Highway Engineers and Surveyors, which will be held at the Curtis hotel, Minneapolis, Jan. 22nd, 23rd and 24th.

Walter M. Murphy, Crow Wing county highway engineer, and Louis Knudsen, county surveyor, will have charge of the program on the opening day of the convention, and C. L. Motl, formerly of Brainerd, president of the federation, has promised that Crow Wing county's road program during the past two years, will be given its share of publicity. It is felt that the accomplishments in highway construction in this county are beyond those of the majority of the counties in the state and that what has been done here will be of interest to other counties.

Included in the Minnesota federation is the state surveyors and engineers association. Mr. Knudsen is chairman of the surveyors' section of this association, and Mr. Murphy heads the engineers' section. These two chairmen are arranging the program for the first day of the convention, and will see that Crow Wing county gets its rightful share of publicity on that day.

Members of the association are much interested in this county's road program. They have held their annual summer meetings at Brainerd two seasons in succession and at these meetings have made tours of inspection of local roads. The use of mail in roadwork in this county, and the overcoming of obstacles in construction that have been successfully met here, have been closely watched in other sections of the state.

Messrs. Murphy and Knudsen have already begun work on the program for the first day of the convention, and when it is completed, it will be published in the Dispatch.

**HOW GREAT MEN
MAKE LOVE**
AS REVEALED BY THEIR
LOVE LETTERS
By JOSEPH KAYE

JOHN FISKE AND ABBY BROOKES

THE American historian and philosopher, John Fiske, was a rather bashful lover and when he met the girl of his heart his first proceeding was to ask her permission to write to her. This being decided on we have the following letter addressed by Fiske to Miss Abby Brookes:

"Something almost compels me to write this, though I readily imagine how assuming I may appear in doing so. But I can sincerely say that were the state of things now to exist, of which we read in the fairy fable, and were some beneficent genii to ask me what boon of all I would have soonest granted me, I should at once answer this: that you might deign to bestow upon me the favor, for which I have just asked (permission to write). Should you think best to refuse this request, I beg you to think no more of it."

Miss Brookes consented, and later consented to a greater favor asked by John Fiske. They lived happy ever after, so happy that Fiske could send a letter like the one below, after eleven years of married life:

"Eleven years ago was the day I asked you to write to me up at Peterham. Oh, if only we were in Peterham now (dearest spot on earth), with our precious little flock! I am eaten up with homesickness and think if I can ever see New England again I shall be content never to travel at all. I crave every word from home as a drunkard craves his liquor and the kindest thing you can do for me will be to write a little almost every day, even if it is only half a page, so that only I may see an envelope directed by you, when I go for my mail."

Just as Well
You can't tell much about a display of authority. Many a man thinks he is doing a fine bit of rule driving when the mule is just hurrying home on his own account.—Stevens Stone Mill.

Disappointed
Jud Tunkins says it beats him to find out how much petroleum there is in the world with none of it represented in his bunches of oil stock.—Washington Star.



"Sinners in Silk" Proves Best Picture About the Younger Set

"Sinners in Silk," Hobart Henley's first production for Metro-Goldwyn, opened for a two days' engagement at the Lyceum Theatre last night. This picture, the newest of the jazz series, is new in more ways than one. It offers a highly original idea in

that the central character, an elderly man in no one too good health, is brought once again to youthful strength and youthful emotions when he takes the Steinach rejuvenation treatment. With this as a premise, it was natural that Mr. Henley was able to develop a number of highly amusing and thrilling situations, which he did with the fullest degree



Jack Holt and Norma Shearer in the Paramount Picture "Empty Hands" A Victor Fleming Production.

Screen Stars Play Adam and Eve on Screen

Jack Holt and Norma Shearer lived as the first man lived. In other words, they duplicated, with strict observance for modern conventions, life as it was lived before tools and weapons were invented for the new Victor Fleming Paramount production, "Empty Hands," from the Arthur Stringer novel by that name, which will be shown at the New Park Theatre tonight, Tuesday and Wednesday. It relates the struggle for existence of a man and a woman stranded in the wilderness with nothing but the clothes they stand in and a pocket knife.

A Show With Fifteen Kid Actors Coming to Brainerd
Manager Irwin of the New Park

Holt is the man and Norma Shearer the woman.

The company went on location in the Yosemite for filming of the scenes. To give atmosphere to the picture Holt re-enacted many of the hard lessons he actually learned in Alaska to show how a man, if he has the fighting spirit, can wrest from nature food and shelter, bare-handed.

Theatre is to be heartily congratulated on securing the Winnipeg Kiddies, a troupe of child actors, for an

engagement of two nights and two matinees, starting Saturday matinee, Dec. 27, for this theatre.

The Winnipeg Kiddies are on a Transcontinental tour of America and will be passing through Brainerd. Mr. Irwin, on hearing this, wasted no time in getting in touch with the management of the show, and prevailed upon them to break their jump, and give the Kiddies a much-needed rest, by stopping over in Brainerd and giving their performance here on Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 27th and 28th.

The Kiddies are accompanied on this tour by a trained nurse, a guardian and a school teacher. They are at all times under the strictest discipline and act as perfect little ladies and gentlemen.

Avoid Airing Troubles

This I always religiously observed, as a rule, never to chide before company nor to prattle abroad of misadventures at home. What passes between two people is much easier made up than when once it has taken air.—Erasmus.

Not Always on Left Side

The heart is not situated entirely on the left side of the body as is believed by most people. It is in reality found to be on the right side in a great number of people, irrespective of sex.

SAGE TEA KEEPS YOUR HAIR DARK

When Mixed With Sulphur it Brings Back its Beautiful Lustre at Once

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks streaked, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundred-fold.

Don't stay gray. Look young! Either prepare the recipe at home or get from any drug store a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which is merely the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully, besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

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Ancient Roman Temple

The Maison Carree, or Square house, at Nimes, France, is perhaps the most perfect of extant specimens of ancient Roman temples. It is thought to have been built in the Second century of the present era.

Silly Superstition

There is no foundation for the belief that phases of the moon have any effect on the nervous system or on the health of individuals.

N. E. Brainerd Bus Line Schedule

to
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Leave Anderson's, N. E.	Leave DeSmidt's
A. M.	A. M.
7:15	7:30
7:45	7:55
8:05	8:30
8:45	9:00
9:15	9:30
9:45	10:10
10:30	11:15
11:45	12:10
P. M.	P. M.
12:45	1:00
1:15	1:30
1:45	2:00
2:15	2:30
2:45	3:00
3:30	3:42
3:55	4:10
4:25	4:40
4:50	5:10
5:25	5:35
5:50	6:10
6:45	7:00
7:30	8:00
8:30	9:00
9:15	10:00
10:15	10:30

We leave Gustafson Store 5 min. early.

We also meet the 11:30 and 12:05 trains at night.

Ask for Sunday Schedule.



Don't choose a Do-Dad for Dad!

Father may have a mustache—but he doesn't need a mustache cup.

He may smoke—but not the kind of cigars the girls would select for him.

Dad is a year older this Christmas—he has put in another 365 days of looking out for the family and now here is a special opportunity for the family to look out for Dad.

A Sincerity suit or an Oregon City overcoat would be the gift supreme—and it could be purchased just as though he were standing before this mirror without his knowing a thing about it.

Other gifts for Dad—

- Sweaters
- Bath Robes
- Lounging Robes
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The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Sam Thompson.
Vice-President—Fred Bock.
Secretary—Mrs. Arthur Peterson.
Treasurer—Mrs. Fred Bock.

Mrs. Bock was also chosen chairman of the program committee, and has promised some very interesting meetings for the coming season. Miss Rebecca Cassell, executive secretary of the Child Welfare board of Crow Wing county, was present at the meeting and reviewed the activities of her organization, as well as outlining its purposes.

County Agent E. G. Roth gave an instructive address on the subject of co-operative marketing in which the unit is much interested.

There will be another meeting of the Nokay Lake unit on the third Monday in January, at which time there will be included on the program a radio concert, furnished through the courtesy of one of the local radio dealers.

MRS. C. BRUHN FUNERAL

To be Given on Tuesday Afternoon From the First Congregational Church

The funeral of Mrs. C. Bruhn, who passed away on Saturday morning, will be held from the First Congregational church at 2:15 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. N. P. Olmstead officiating. Interment will be made in Evergreen cemetery.

The body will be at the Bruhn home, 208 North Broadway, until two o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

CROW WING COUNTY WARRANTS CALLED FOR PAYMENT

All county revenue warrants registered up to and including July 31, 1924, and all road and bridge warrants registered up to and including November 5, 1923, are called for payment. Interest will cease thirty days from this date.

Brainerd, Minnesota, December 20, 1924.
S. R. ADAIR,
County Treasurer.

Origin of Christmas Seals

Twenty-one years ago on Christmas eve, a young man stood at his work in a post-office in far-off Denmark. He saw countless stamps passing through his hands at this holiday season, and as he worked he thought how wonderful it would be if everyone would add an extra stamp to their letters and cards to help build a hospital in his town for the child-

ren sick with tuberculosis. This young man took his idea to the Queen of Denmark, who greeted the idea with enthusiasm, and the first Christmas Seal appeared in Denmark in 1904—and the children got their hospital.

This year, Einar Holboell, the Danish postal clerk who gave to the world the idea of the Christmas Seal, visited the United States, and in every state in the Union saw the results of his happy Christmas idea of helping humanity. The first Christmas Seals were sold in this country in 1907 to raise funds for the site of a sanatorium in Delaware. The movement spread rapidly to every state in the Union until the little penny Christmas Seal sponsored by the National Tuberculosis Association, is now supporting one of the most far-reaching health movements in the country.

"Tuberculosis can be cured, can be prevented, can be eventually wiped from the face of the earth." This is the message the little Christmas Seal carries into every corner of the nation. Already the tuberculosis

death rate in the country has been cut in half since the educational campaign was started, but the White Plague is still a dread enemy of mankind. It is estimated that there are now in the United States over one

million sufferers from tuberculosis, and in Minnesota alone there are approximately 16,000 active cases. The job of fighting tuberculosis is well started—but not done. Buy and use Christmas Seals.

NOTICE!

If you at any time should discover a GAS LEAK in the streets or alleys, we would consider it a very great favor if you would call us and report it. Such leaks are hard to find and your cooperation will be a great assistance.

Brainerd Gas & Electric Co.

305 So. Broadway

Phone 1183

Toy Prices Without an Equal

Monday night, Tuesday and Wednesday, all toys, all books, all dolls, all games, all doll carriages at great reductions. Prices just when you want them.

We shall not "carry over" toys. The remainder of our stock must sell Tuesday and Wednesday. It is an opportunity without an equal. You want toys—we want a clearance. Here are the attractions we offer. Join the crowds which will be here for them.

Books

5c Story Books at but.....	3c
10c Story Books at but.....	7c
15c Story Books at but.....	10c
25c Story Books at but.....	18c
30c Story Books at but.....	22c
50c Story Books at but.....	38c
75c Story Books at but.....	55c
\$1.00 Story Books at but.....	69c
60c Girl Scout Books at but.....	42c

Copyrighted books usually selling at 75c will be closed out at but 39c.

Toy Trains

\$1.95 Spring Toy Trains.....	\$1.35
\$5.50 Spring Toy Trains.....	\$3.85
\$5.75 Electric Trains.....	\$3.98
\$10.50 Electric Trains.....	\$6.95

Miscellaneous Toys

Large Animals, worth \$15.00, at.....	\$6.95
\$2.00 Sand Crane.....	\$1.00
85c Onija Board.....	45c

Store Open Until 9 O'clock
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Games

\$1.35 Picture Blocks.....	89c
\$1.75 Picture Blocks.....	\$1.19
75c Pictorial Lotto.....	49c
\$1.50 Picture Blocks.....	89c
75c Burnt Wood Blocks.....	55c
10c Blocks at but.....	7c
30c Blocks at but.....	22c
\$1.25 Picture Puzzle.....	95c
59c Games at but.....	29c

Mechanical Toys

65c Mechanical Toys.....	49c
75c Mechanical Boats.....	55c
\$1.50 Mechanical Boats.....	\$1.05
\$2.00 Mechanical Boats.....	\$1.39
\$2.30 Mechanical Boats.....	\$1.69
\$1.75 Mechanical Toys.....	\$1.19

Doll Carriages

\$2.50 Doll Carriage at but.....	\$1.49
Large Doll Carriage at but.....	\$1.98
Large Doll Carriage at but.....	\$2.50
\$7.95 Doll Carriage at but.....	\$4.98
\$10.50 Lloyd's Doll Carriage at.....	\$6.95

Toys

75c Barnyard Toys.....	49c
\$1.00 Barnyard Toys.....	69c
\$1.25 Barnyard Toys.....	85c
59c Toy Kitchens.....	39c
\$1.15 Walking Wallopus.....	69c
\$1.30 Lead Toys.....	39c

Dishes

95c Tin Dishes at but.....	48c
\$1.19 Tin Dishes at but.....	59c
\$1.50 Tin Dishes at but.....	75c
\$1.75 Tin Dishes at but.....	88c
\$2.50 Tin Dishes at but.....	\$1.25
\$3.35 Tin Dishes at but.....	\$1.68
\$1.35 China Dishes at but.....	94c
\$3.50 China Dishes at but.....	\$2.39

Erectors, Etc.

75c No. 0 Erectors.....	49c
\$1.00 No. 1 Erectors.....	79c
\$2.00 No. 2 Erectors.....	\$1.49
\$3.00 No. 3 Erectors.....	\$2.29
\$5.50 6A Erector Set.....	\$2.98
\$2.50 4A Erector Set.....	\$1.49

Dolls

\$1.15 Mamma Dolls at but.....	69c
\$2.35 Mamma Dolls at but.....	\$1.59
\$2.50 Mamma Dolls at but.....	\$1.79
\$1.00 Underwear Dolls.....	69c
\$1.15 Underwear Animals.....	79c
\$3.85 Mamma Dolls.....	\$2.69
\$3.00 Mamma Dolls.....	\$2.10

See the lot we are offering at just half price. Great bargains here.

Steam Engines

\$1.20 Steam Engine at but.....	89c
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\$2.20 Steam Engine at but.....	\$1.59
\$2.50 Steam Engine at but.....	\$1.78
\$3.00 Steam Engine at but.....	\$2.10
\$3.50 Steam Engine at but.....	\$2.45

Gilbert Toys

\$4.95 Wheel Toy Maker.....	\$2.49
\$7.50 New Wheel Toy.....	\$3.50
\$3.75 Magnetic Set.....	\$1.85
\$2.10 Puzzle Toys.....	\$1.05
\$3.00 Chemistry Set.....	\$1.49

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Of Radio Receivers includes models ranging in price from \$75.00 to \$295.00.

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HERE'S LIGHT ON THE DARK QUESTION

WHAT'LL I GIVE A MAN FOR CHRISTMAS



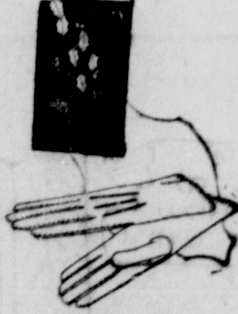
Answer No. 1
A Shirt

He'll surely like that—for no man can have too many shirts. Fine silks at \$3.00 to \$9.00—worth a great deal more—other shirts for \$3.50 and as low as \$1.00.



Answer No. 2
A Muffer

When the real Minnesota weather sets in, and the chill breezes blow around the corners—then he'll remember you for the muffer that's keeping him warm. Silk and Wool Muffers—\$1.25 to \$5.00.



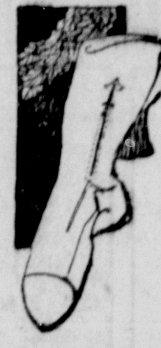
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Gloves

Buckskins, kids and other good leathers—in tan, grey and other popular shades—gloves of quality at \$1.75 to \$5.00. Driving gloves for the motorist—fleece lined—\$2.50.



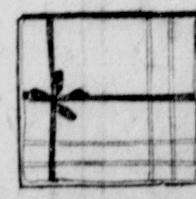
Answer No. 4
Jewelry

A nice pair of cuff links such as we offer—from 50c to \$2.00. Belt and buckle combinations—\$1.00 to \$1.50. Scarf Pins—50c and \$1.00.



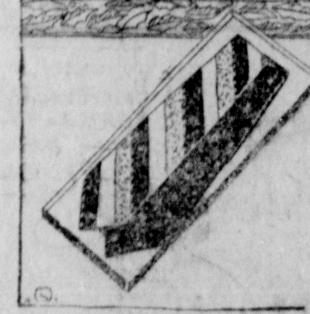
Answer No. 5
Socks

Give him several pairs of nice silk socks—Shawnee and Phoenix Hosiery—packed 3 pair in a box—75c. Good warm wool socks—heavy, medium or light—50c, 75c, \$1.50.



Answer No. 6
Handkerchiefs

You can never get him too many Handkerchiefs. They come in plain and fancy border at 10c to 75c. Initial Handkerchiefs in linen and cotton—25c and 50c.



Answer No. 7
Neckwear

A nice snappy tie—that's the beautiful ties to select from here—knit and cut silks—50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$2.00. Packed in Xmas boxes.

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Officers Elected Were President Sam Thompson, Secretary Mrs. A. Peterson and Others

The Nokay Lake Farm Bureau unit held its annual meeting on Thursday afternoon in the town hall. The meeting was preceded by an elaborate chicken dinner. Practically the entire membership of the unit was in attendance.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Sam Thompson.

Vice-President—Fred Bock.

Secretary—Mrs. Arthur Peterson.

Treasurer—Mrs. Fred Bock.

Mrs. Bock was also chosen chairman of the program committee, and has promised some very interesting meetings for the coming season.

Miss Rebecca Cassell, executive secretary of the Child Welfare board of Crow Wing county, was present at the meeting and reviewed the activities of her organization, as well as outlining its purposes.

County Agent E. G. Roth gave an instructive address on the subject of co-operative marketing in which the unit is much interested.

There will be another meeting of the Nokay Lake unit on the third Monday in January, at which time there will be included on the program a radio concert, furnished through the courtesy of one of the local radio dealers.

MRS. C. BRUHN FUNERAL

To be Given on Tuesday Afternoon From the First Congregational Church

The funeral of Mrs. C. Bruhn, who passed away on Saturday morning, will be held from the First Congregational church at 2:15 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. N. P. Ohlsted officiating. Interment will be made in Evergreen cemetery.

The body will be at the Bruhn home, 208 North Broadway, until two o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

CROW WING COUNTY WARRANTS CALLED FOR PAYMENT

All county revenue warrants registered up to and including July 31, 1924, and all road and bridge warrants registered up to and including November 5, 1923, are called for payment. Interest will cease thirty days from this date.

Brainerd, Minnesota, December 20, 1924.

S. R. ADAIR,
County Treasurer.

Origin of Christmas Seals

Twenty-one years ago on Christmas eve, a young man stood at his work in a post-office in far-off Denmark. He saw countless stamps passing through his hands at this holiday season, and as he worked he thought how wonderful it would be if everyone would add an extra stamp to their letters and cards to help build a hospital in his town for the child-

ren sick with tuberculosis. This young man took his idea to the Queen of Denmark, who greeted the idea with enthusiasm, and the first Christmas Seal appeared in Denmark in 1904—and the children got their hospital.

This year, Einar Holboell, the Danish postal clerk who gave to the world the idea of the Christmas Seal, visited the United States, and in every state in the Union saw the results of his happy Christmas idea of helping humanity. The first Christmas Seals were sold in this country in 1907 to raise funds for the site of a sanatorium in Delaware. The movement spread rapidly to every state in the Union until the little penny Christmas Seal sponsored by the National Tuberculosis Association, is now supporting one of the most far-reaching health movements in the country.

"Tuberculosis can be cured, can be prevented, can be eventually wiped from the face of the earth." This is the message the little Christmas Seal carries into every corner of the nation. Already the tuberculosis

death rate in the country has been cut in half since the educational campaign was started, but the White Plague is still a dread enemy of mankind. It is estimated that there are now in the United States over one

million sufferers from tuberculosis, and in Minnesota alone there are approximately 16,000 active cases. The job of fighting tuberculosis is well started—but not done. Buy and use Christmas Seals.

NOTICE!

If you at any time should discover a GAS LEAK in the streets or alleys, we would consider it a very great favor if you would call us and report it. Such leaks are hard to find and your cooperation will be a great assistance.

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Phone 1183

Toy Prices Without an Equal

Monday night, Tuesday and Wednesday, all toys, all books, all dolls, all games, all doll carriages at great reductions. Prices just when you want them.

We shall not "carry over" toys. The remainder of our stock must sell Tuesday and Wednesday. It is an opportunity without an equal. You want toys—we want a clearance. Here are the attractions we offer. Join the crowds which will be here for them.

Books

5c Story Books at but.....	3c
10c Story Books at but.....	7c
15c Story Books at but.....	10c
25c Story Books at but.....	18c
30c Story Books at but.....	22c
50c Story Books at but.....	33c
75c Story Books at but.....	55c
1.00 Story Books at but.....	69c
60c Girl Scout Books at but.....	42c

Copyrighted books usually selling at 75c will be closed out at but 39c.

Games

1.35 Picture Blocks.....	89c
1.75 Picture Blocks.....	\$1.19
75c Pictorial Lotto.....	49c
1.50 Picture Blocks.....	89c
75c Burnt Wood Block.....	55c
10c Blocks at but.....	7c
30c Blocks at but.....	22c
1.25 Picture Puzzle.....	95c
59c Games at but.....	29c

Toys

75c Barnyard Toys.....	49c
\$1.00 Barnyard Toys.....	69c
\$1.25 Barnyard Toys.....	85c
59c Toy Kitchens.....	39c
\$1.15 Walking Walhpus.....	69c
1.30 Lead Toys.....	39c

Dolls

\$1.15 Mamma Dolls at but.....	69c
\$2.35 Mamma Dolls at but.....	\$1.59
\$2.50 Mamma Dolls at but.....	\$1.79
\$1.00 Underwear Dolls.....	69c
\$1.15 Underwear Animals.....	79c
\$3.88 Mamma Dolls.....	\$2.69
\$3.00 Mamma Dolls.....	\$2.10

See the lot we are offering at just half price. Great bargains here.

Dishes

95c Tin Dishes at but.....	49c
\$1.19 Tin Dishes at but.....	59c
\$1.50 Tin Dishes at but.....	75c
\$1.75 Tin Dishes at but.....	88c
\$2.50 Tin Dishes at but.....	\$1.25
\$3.35 Tin Dishes at but.....	\$1.68
\$1.35 China Dishes at but.....	94c
\$3.50 China Dishes at but.....	\$2.39

Steam Engines

\$1.20 Steam Engine at but.....	89c
\$1.50 Steam Engine at but.....	99c
\$2.00 Steam Engine at but.....	\$1.39
\$2.20 Steam Engine at but.....	\$1.59
\$2.50 Steam Engine at but.....	\$1.78
\$3.00 Steam Engine at but.....	\$2.10
\$3.50 Steam Engine at but.....	\$2.45

Mechanical Toys

65c Mechanical Toys.....	49c
75c Mechanical Toys.....	55c
\$1.59 Mechanical Boats.....	\$1.05
\$2.00 Mechanical Boats.....	\$1.39
\$2.39 Mechanical Boats.....	\$1.69
1.75 Mechanical Toys.....	\$1.19

Doll Carriages

\$2.50 Doll Carriage at but.....	\$1.49
Large Doll Carriage at but.....	\$1.98
Large Doll Carriage at but.....	\$2.50
\$7.95 Doll Carriage at but.....	\$4.98
\$10.50 Lloyd's Doll Carriage at.....	\$6.95

Miscellaneous Toys

Large Animals, worth \$15.00, at.....	\$6.95
\$2.00 Sand Crane.....	\$1.00
89c Outja Board.....	45c

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Monday and Tuesday

H. F. Michael Co.

Erectors, Etc.

75c No. 0 Erectors.....	49c
\$1.00 No. 1 Erectors.....	79c
\$2.00 No. 2 Erectors.....	\$1.49
\$3.00 No. 3 Erectors.....	\$2.29
\$5.50 6A Erector Set.....	\$2.98
\$2.50 4A Erector Set.....	\$1.49

Gilbert Toys

\$4.95 Wheel Toy Maker.....	\$2.49
\$7.50 New Wheel Toy.....	\$3.50
\$3.75 Magnetic Set.....	\$1.55
\$2.10 Puzzle Toys.....	\$1.05
\$3.00 Chemistry Set.....	\$1.49

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The Fada Neutrodyne Line

Of Radio Receivers includes models ranging in price from \$75.00 to \$295.00.

Included within this price range are six models having different cabinet designs, yet so designed that the "NEUTROLA" for instance with the addition of the Neutrodyne Table Cabinet makes the complete "NEUTROLA GRAND."

The finish and appearance of the cabinets in the FADA Neutrodyne Line is the most beautiful of any radio cabinets and makes FADA Neutrodyne Receivers a decorative asset to the home.

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HERE'S LIGHT ON THE DARK QUESTION

WHAT'LL I GIVE A MAN FOR CHRISTMAS



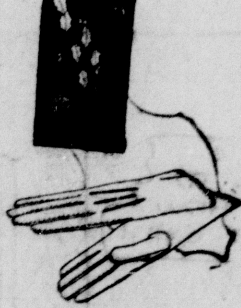
Answer No. 1
A Shirt

He'll surely like that—for no man can have too many shirts. Fine silks at \$5.00 to \$9.00—worth a great deal more—other shirts for \$3.50 and as low as \$1.00.



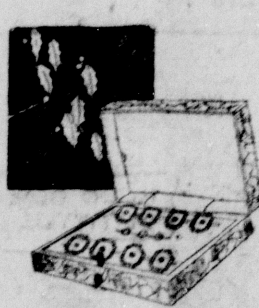
Answer No. 2
A Muffer

When the real Minnesota weather sets in, and the chill breezes blow around the corners—then he'll remember you for the muffer that's keeping him warm. Silk and Wool Muffers—\$1.25 to \$5.00.



Answer No. 3
Gloves

Buckskins, kids and other good leathers—in tan, grey and other popular shades—gloves of quality at \$1.75 to \$5.00. Driving gloves for the motorist—fleece lined—\$2.50.



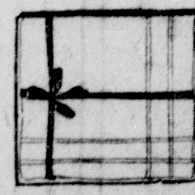
Answer No. 4
Jewelry

A nice pair of cuff links such as we offer—from 50c to \$2.00. Belt and buckle combinations—\$1.00 to \$1.50. Scarf Pins—50c and \$1.00.



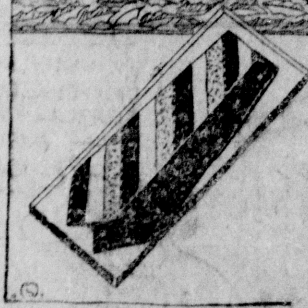
Answer No. 5
Socks

Give him several pairs of nice silk socks—Shawmut and Phoenix Hosiery—packed 3 pair in a box—75c. Good warm wool socks—heavy, medium or light—50c, 75c, \$1.50.



Answer No. 6
Handkerchiefs

You can never get him too many Handkerchiefs. They come in plain and fancy border at 10c to 75c. Initial Handkerchiefs in linen and cotton—25c and 50c.



Answer No. 7
Neckwear

A nice snappy tie—that's the beautiful ties to select from here—knit and cut silks—30c, 75c, \$1.00, \$2.00. Packed in Xmas boxes.

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There were other fine teams in the country.

Chicago won the western conference championship after Illinois had started away for what looked like a cinch victory. Alabama won the Southern Conference championship, but, as Notre Dame was the best team in the middle-west, Centre had ground to claim the championship of the southern section. Stanford won the title on the Pacific Coast and Missouri won the championship of the Missouri Valley conference.

The phenomenal feats of Red Grange, the star Illinois halfback, were the biggest individual accomplishments of the season. Grange made history in the game against Michigan, a fine team, when he ran for four touchdowns in twelve minutes of the first period and scored a fifth in the third period. He took the kickoff in the first period and ran the ball back 97 yards for a touchdown. From behind the line of scrimmage he negotiated other runs for touchdowns of 65, 55 and 45 yards.

Competent critics, who saw him in action, declared him to be one of the greatest of all times and some even placed him above Jim Thorpe and Eddie Mahan.

The outstanding players in the East were Garbisch, the Army captain and center; Pond and Kline, the Yale backs, and Koppisch, the Columbia back.

Garbisch, a veteran of eight years of varsity football, played one of the most brilliant games possible in the game against the Navy when he kicked four field goals for a 12 to 0 victory and played a phenomenal game on the defense. Pond and Kline distinguished themselves in the Army and Harvard games and Koppisch was brilliant all season.

The Eastern season ended with Yale, Dartmouth and Pennsylvania undefeated, but each had engaged in a tie game and Yale had been in two. Dartmouth, perhaps had the best claim to first rating.

Inter-sectional games were the big spice of the season and at the end of the season several big games were scheduled for next year that will assure another interesting season.

While interest was confined chiefly to the college games there were interesting events of the year in soccer and rugby.

The outstanding events of the year, from an international viewpoint, were the victories of the United States and Uruguay in the Olympic football matches. The United States won the rugby championship and Uruguay won the soccer championship.

As has been pointed out before, the victory of the United States team over France in the final rugby championships was just as much an accomplishment as if a French baseball team had come to the United States and had defeated the Washington Senators after the world's series. There aren't much over fifty men in the United States playing rugby and they went over to play against teams that were regarded as the best in the world.

The victory of the Uruguayan team was not such a wonderful accomplishment, as soccer is their leading national sport and they went to Paris with a big reputation which they upheld.

The Uruguayan team came to the United States late in the year for a tour of the country and it aroused great interest in a sport that is growing rapidly in public favor in this country.

Paavo Nurmi to Race Against American Stars

New York, Dec. 22.—With the entry of Leo Larivee of Holy Cross in the special 3,000 meter race at the Finnish-American games in which Paavo Nurmi will meet America's fleetest distance men, the lists are closed for the event in which the marvelous Finn makes his first appearance here. Willie Ritola, Joie Connolly and Walter Huggins are others who are in the race.

Thrilling

Little Meekman—I feel very elated this morning. Last night my wife mistook me for a burglar, and it's the only time in my life that she was actually afraid of me.—London Weekly Telegraph.

Must Not Be Overdone

Admonition must descend, as the dew upon the tender herb, or like melting flakes of snow; the softer it falls, the longer it dwells upon and the deeper it sinks into the mind.—Saeed

EDDIE MARTINO WINS BANTAM HONOR

DEFEATS ABE GOLDSTEIN IN A CHAMPIONSHIP BOUT

By HENRY L. FARRELL

New York, Dec. 22.—The lamentations of "Oy, Oy's" of Abe Goldstein's loyal supporters still reverberate up the east side and down the Ghetto today for Abe's curly locks were knocked clean out from underneath the bantamweight crown by a combination of Eddie Martino, Italian boy from Brooklyn, and one of the closest decisions in years.

Eddie, whose backers in the rough and tumble Gowanus section of Brooklyn have dubbed him "Cannonball," hammered and slammed Goldstein for 15 furious rounds in their bout for the bantamweight championship of the world at the Madison Square Garden, but when it was all over at least half the spectators, experts, sports writers and fighters thought Martino had fallen just short of the mark. Abe himself patted his smaller opponent on the shoulder as Eddie turned away.

Then dramatically came the referee's announcement that the winner—and new world's champion—was Eddie Martino.

The tough, bouncing little Italian, who comes from Terry McGovern's district over the river, has always had an ambition to emulate the "terrible" one and his backers are wild with joy over his new title. Martino, or Martin as he will call it, is a long way from being a Terry McGovern. But he's a tough little nut at that.

Goldstein, who has held the bantamweight title only since March, was bitterly disappointed at losing it on a close decision. He pecked and jabbed at Martin throughout the bout and a good bit of the time succeeded in holding his man at long range.

Abe was the cleverer of the two and outboxed Martin, who, if he earned the decision, did so by the tigerish ferocity of his attack.

Energy is true gasoline, not doped. Next in grade to the highest test aviation gasoline. 125tf

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BASKETBALL NOTES OF VICINITY

Butler 22, Wisconsin 16.
Notre Dame 22, Northwestern 15.
Franklin 36, Purdue 32.
Illinois 36, Washington of St. Louis 20.
Eau Claire Normal 22, Gustavus Adolphus 17.

High School

Duluth Central 45, Sandstone 4.
Red Wing 13, River Falls 12.
Duluth Denfield 31, Cloquet 20.
McIntosh 14, East Grand Forks 6.
LeSueur 8, Kasota 4.
Welcome 21, Blue Earth 8.
Brainerd 21, Bemidji 19.
Paribault 17, Northfield 9.
Alexandria 12, St. Cloud Cathedral 9.

NOTRE DAME ON WAY TO COAST FOR GRID CLASH

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Thirty-two players along with Coach Knute Rockne and Tom Lieb, his assistant, and a student manager, Leo Sutcliffe, steamed into Chicago yesterday. It was the first leg on their flight to the coast where they face Stanford on New Year's day.

New Orleans will be the next stop and the "four horsemen" will limber up Monday on the Tulane field. Rockne plans to turn loose a shower of passes against the westerners. The one Stanford game which was scouted by the Irish showed them weak in that department, he stated.

Capt. Adam Walsh's injuries may preclude his playing. Hurt early in the season, he was again bumped in the Northwestern and Carnegie Tech games, and he has been sorely hampered during scrimmages.

Lively's Ford repair department use only genuine Ford parts, sold at Ford prices. 95tf

Dates From Pagan Times

Halloween is a relic of pagan times. In England the influence of Druidical ceremonies is evidenced in the ancient Halloween fires. Certain of the customs which used to prevail in England were survivals of Pomona, the goddess of fruit. Halloween is called by this name because the festival falls on the evening of October 31, which is the eve or vigil of All Hallows, the festival of All Saints, which falls on November 1.

BODY OF SAMUEL GOMPERS REACHES NATIONAL CAPITAL; LABOR LEADERS PAY HOMAGE TO THEIR CHIEF



The upper photograph shows the flag-draped casket being borne from the Union Station at Washington to the American Federation of Labor building where the body of the late president of the Federation lay in state before being taken to New York for burial. In the other photo are seen (left to right) James Duncan, vice president of the Federation, Frank

Morrison, secretary, and Matthew Woll, sixth vice president and for fifteen years head of the photo engravers, as they stood in front of the funeral car.

Spading Jumps

Calcutta, India, has had a golf club since 1820.

The United States has held the Davis cup since 1920.

Charles W. Burns of San Francisco was elected captain of the Wesleyan soccer team.

Steve Yerkes has resigned as manager of Harrisburg, New York and Pennsylvania league.

Mike Gibbons has turned author and is writing the history of his ring career for a magazine.

The Thompson brothers of Canada, Frank W. J., Nicol, Stanley and Matt, are all golf champions.

Football stars are numbered, but members of the faculty are still allowed to go about incog.

The rule limiting 11 men of a team on the field should bar "Red" Grange, for he is equal to about 7.

John Lavan has been signed to manage the Kansas City American association club again next year.

The first western intercollegiate baseball championship was won by the University of Michigan in 1882.

Fred Lake, former manager of the Boston Nationals, has been named assistant baseball coach at Harvard.

Hector MacDonald, Orange, N. J., has been elected captain of the University of Pennsylvania rowing squad.

Helen Wills, national and Olympic tennis champion, was nineteen years of age on October 6. She is a student at University of California.

A bowling match between Johnny Voorhees of Brooklyn and Jimmy Smith of Milwaukee is a treat in store for New York fans in the near future.

Batters with fat averages do not always shine in the world series. Stanley Harris, for instance, not a great hitter, won three games through his batting efforts.

Baseball fans as well as politicians are now agreed that, whatever differences of opinion may arise in matters of policy, there is no questioning the fact that Calvin Coolidge is a wonderful mascot.

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Dispatch Want Ads

PRICE—One cent a word for each insertion

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Married elderly couple on farm near city. Write "F." Dispatch. 1737-17012

AMATEURS WANTED—At the New Park theatre. See Geo. D. Irwin, Manager. 1631-16214

SALESMEN and salesladies to sell silks. Write James A. Solsten, Fargo. 1712-16514

\$10,000 A YEAR MAN WANTED—If you can organize and direct a sales force to sell our \$23.50 popular priced suits and overcoats direct to wearer, here is a real opportunity. More than 100 district offices now operating successfully. Backing of a million dollar, nationally known firm. Man experienced in direct selling preferred, but other applicants will be given equal consideration. Sales Manager, The Style-Center Tailoring Co., 412 E. 6th St., Cincinnati, Ohio. 1740-17111

FOR-SALE

FOR SALE—Bargains in second hand sewing machines, Singer store. 1113-10514

FOR-RENT

FOR RENT—205 1st Ave. N. E. Inquire 109 "A" St. 1732-16316

FOR RENT—House at 809 Ivy St. Call 468. 1 05-15412

FOR RENT—Office rooms. E. O. Webb. 1541-14614

FOR RENT—Two modern office rooms. Lyceum building. 1537-14314

FOR RENT—Desirable store room central location, R. R. Wise, phone 8809-18014

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FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished rooms. 402 Front St. 8226-11114

FOR RENT—A few rooms at special winter rates, New Brainerd Hotel. 1466-13714

GARAGE FOR RENT—607 3rd Ave. N. E. Phone 444-W. 14

FOR RENT—Several small houses. Southeast, J. H. Krekelberg. 660-6814

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PRACTICAL NURSING—Licensed. 516 S. 7th St. Phone 274-J. 1720-16716p

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NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT

To Frederick H. Austin:
Whereas a certain contract in writing was made and entered into between Charles J. Fredrickson and Clara M. Fredrickson, his wife, of the City of Duluth, State of Minnesota, as parties of the first part, and Frederick H. Austin, of Brainerd, Minnesota, as party of the second part, dated the 9th day of March, A. D. 1923, under and by the terms of this contract the said parties of the first part contracted and agreed to sell to the said party of the second part, upon payment by him of certain sums of money and the performance by him of certain conditions, the following described land, to-wit: The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W 1/2 of NW 1/4) of Section Twenty-three (23), in Township One Hundred and Thirty-three (133) north of Range Twenty-nine (29) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing Eighty (80) acres, and whereas default has been made in the performance of the terms and conditions of this certain contract in this to-wit: Your failure to make payments as per terms and conditions thereof, to-wit: For failure to pay the payment on the principal and interest due on the 8th day of March, 1924, and the taxes on said land for the year of 1924, and whereas Charles J. Fredrickson and Clara M. Fredrickson, his wife, parties of the first part to the said contract, by the terms of said contract by reason of said default, has a right to declare a forfeiture thereof and to declare the same null and void, and to cancel and terminate the same. Now, therefore, you, the said Frederick H. Austin, his wife, do hereby elect to declare the said contract null and void, and to cancel and terminate the same, and that such contract will terminate Ninety (90) days after the service of this notice, unless prior thereto, you shall comply with such conditions and pay the cost of service.
Dated December 20, 1924.
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CLARA M. FREDRICKSON,
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There were other fine teams in the country.

Chicago won the western conference championship after Illinois had started away for what looked like a cinch victory. Alabama won the Southern Conference championship, but, as Notre Dame was the best team in the middle-west, Centre had ground to claim the championship of the southern section. Stanford won the title on the Pacific Coast and Missouri won the championship of the Missouri Valley conference.

The phenomenal feats of Red Grange, the star Illinois halfback, were the biggest individual accomplishments of the season. Grange made history in the game against Michigan, a fine team, when he ran for four touchdowns in twelve minutes of the first period and scored a fifth in the third period. He took the kickoff in the first period and ran the ball back 97 yards for a touchdown. From behind the line of scrimmage he negotiated other runs for touchdowns of 65, 55 and 45 yards.

Competent critics, who saw him in action, declared him to be one of the greatest of all times and some even placed him above Jim Thorpe and Eddie Mahan.

The outstanding players in the East were Garbisch, the Army captain and center; Pond and Kline, the Yale backs, and Koppisch, the Columbia back.

Garbisch, a veteran of eight years of varsity football, played one of the most brilliant games possible in the game against the Navy when he kicked four field goals for a 12 to 0 victory and played a phenomenal game on the defense. Pond and Kline distinguished themselves in the Army and Harvard games and Koppisch was brilliant all season.

The Eastern season ended with Yale, Dartmouth and Pennsylvania undefeated, but each had engaged in a tie game and Yale had been in two. Dartmouth, perhaps had the best claim to first rating.

Intersectional games were the big spice of the season and at the end of the season several big games were scheduled for next year that will assure another interesting season.

While interest was confined chiefly to the college games there were interesting events of the year in soccer and rugby.

The outstanding events of the year, from an international viewpoint, were the victories of the United States and Uruguay in the Olympic football matches. The United States won the rugby championship and Uruguay won the soccer championship.

As has been pointed out before, the victory of the United States team over France in the final rugby championships was just as much an accomplishment as if a French baseball team had come to the United States and had defeated the Washington Senators after the world's series. There aren't much over fifty men in the United States playing rugby and they went over to play against teams that were regarded as the best in the world.

The victory of the Uruguayan team was not such a wonderful accomplishment, as soccer is their leading national sport and they went to Paris with a big reputation which they upheld.

The Uruguay team came to the United States late in the year for a tour of the country and it aroused great interest in a sport that is growing rapidly in public favor in this country.

Paavo Nurmi to Race Against American Stars

New York, Dec. 22.—With the entry of Leo Larrive of Holy Cross in the special 3,000 meter race at the Finnish-American games in which Paavo Nurmi will meet America's fleetest distance men, the lists are closed for the event in which the marvelous Finn makes his first appearance here. Willie Ritola, Joe Connolly and Walter Huggins are others who are in the race.

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Little Meekman—I feel very elated this morning. Last night my wife mistook me for a burglar, and it's the only time in my life that she was actually afraid of me.—London Weekly Telegraph.

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EDDIE MARTINO WINS BANTAM HONOR

DEFEATS ABE GOLDSTEIN IN A CHAMPIONSHIP BOUT

New York, Dec. 22.—The lamentations of "Oy, Oy's" of Abe Goldstein's loyal supporters still reverberate up the east side and down the Ghetto today for Abe's curly locks were knocked clean out from underneath the bantamweight crown by a combination of Eddie Martino, Italian boy from Brooklyn, and one of the closest decisions in years.

Eddie, whose backers in the rough and tumble Gowanus section of Brooklyn have dubbed him "Cannonball," hammered and slammed Goldstein for 15 furious rounds in their bout for the bantamweight championship of the world at the Madison Square Garden, but when it was all over at least half the spectators, experts, sports writers and fighters thought Martino had fallen just short of the mark. Abe himself patted his smaller opponent on the shoulder as Eddie turned away.

Then dramatically came the referee's announcement that the winner—and new world's champion—was Eddie Martino.

The tough, bouncing little Italian, who comes from Terry McGovern's district over the river, has always had an ambition to emulate the "terrible" one and his backers are wild with joy over his new title. Martino, or Martin as he will call it, is a long way from being a Terry McGovern. But he's a tough little nut at that.

Goldstein, who has held the bantamweight title only since March, was bitterly disappointed at losing it on a close decision. He pecked and jabbed at Martin throughout the bout and a good bit of the time succeeded in holding his man at long range.

Abe was the cleverer of the two and outboxed Martin, who, if he earned the decision, did so by the tigerish ferocity of his attack.

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Brainerd 21, Bemidji 19.
Faribault 17, Northfield 9.
Alexandria 12, St. Cloud Cathedral 9.

NOTRE DAME ON WAY TO COAST FOR GRID CLASH

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Thirty-two players along with Coach Knute Rockne and Tom Lieb, his assistant, and a student manager, Leo Sutcliffe, steamed into Chicago yesterday. It was the first leg on their flight to the coast where they face Stanford on New Year's day.

New Orleans will be the next stop and the "four horsemen" will limber up Monday on the Tulane field. Rockne plans to turn loose a shower of passes against the westerners. The one Stanford game which was scouted by the Irish showed them weak in that department, he stated.

Capt. Adam Walsh's injuries may preclude his playing. Hurt early in the season, he was again bumped in the Northwestern and Carnegie Tech games, and he has been sorely hampered during scrimmage.

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Dates From Pagan Times

Halloween is a relic of pagan times. In England the influence of Druidical ceremonies is evidenced in the ancient Halloween fires. Certain of the customs which used to prevail in England were survivals of Pomona, the goddess of fruit. Halloween is called by this name because the festival falls on the evening of October 31, which is the eve or vigil of All Hallows, the festival of All Saints, which falls on November 1.

BODY OF SAMUEL GOMPERS REACHES NATIONAL CAPITAL; LABOR LEADERS PAY HOMAGE TO THEIR CHIEF



The upper photograph shows the flag-draped casket being borne from the Union Station at Washington to the American Federation of Labor building where the body of the late president of the Federation lay in state before being taken to New York for burial. In the other photo are seen (left to right) James Duncan, vice president of the Federation, Frank

Morrison, secretary, and Matthew Woll, sixth vice president and for fifteen years head of the photo engravers, as they stood in front of the funeral car.

Spokane Rubs

Calcutta, India, has had a golf club since 1820.

The United States has held the Davis cup since 1920.

Charles W. Burns of San Francisco was elected captain of the Wesleyan soccer team.

Steve Yerkes has resigned as manager of Harrisburg, New York and Pennsylvania league.

Mike Gibbons has turned author and is writing the history of his ring career for a magazine.

The Thompson brothers of Canada, Frank W. J. Nicol, Stanley and Matt, are all golf champions.

Football stars are numbered, but members of the faculty are still allowed to go about incog.

The rule limiting 11 men of a team on the field should bar "Red" Grange, for he is equal to about 7.

John Lavan has been signed to manage the Kansas City American association club again next year.

The first western intercollegiate baseball championship was won by the University of Michigan in 1882.

Fred Lake, former manager of the Boston Nationals, has been named assistant baseball coach at Harvard.

Hector MacDonald, Orange, N. J., has been elected captain of the University of Pennsylvania rowing squad.

Helen Wills, national and Olympic tennis champion, was nineteen years of age on October 6. She is a student at University of California.

A howling match between Johnny Voorhees of Brooklyn and Jimmy Smith of Milwaukee is a treat in store for New York fans in the near future.

Batters with fat averages do not always shine in the world series. Stanley Harris, for instance, not a great hitter, won three games through his batting efforts.

Baseball fans as well as politicians are now agreed that, whatever differences of opinion may arise in matters of policy, there is no questioning the fact that Calvin Coolidge is a wonderful mascot.

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